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Nursery Product Shows

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Report Highlights:

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Nursery Product Shows

CAN WEST Hort Show

Sep 20-21, 2000

Vancouver Exhibition Centre, Vancouver, BC

Type of Show: Trade

Established: 1981

Objectives: To provide a marketplace for horticultural products and sellers from Canada and U.S.

Products Displayed: Horticultural supplies, equipment and nursery stock.

Attendance: 5,000 Exhibitors: 250

Net Space: 90,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$780

Show Manager: Jane Stock.

Show Producer: BC Landscape & Nursery Assn., 5830-176A ST., Ste. 191, Surrey, BC V3S 4E3 Phone:

(604) 574-7772. Fax: (604) 574-7773 E-mail: bhardy@direct.ca.

Official Service Contractor(s): Western Display.

Official Sponsor(s): B.C. Landscape & Nursery Assn./United Flower Growers. Future Dates: 2001 Sep 19-20–Vancouver BC, Vancouver Exhibition Centre.

Manitoba Seed Industry Days

Dec 5-6, 2000

Keystone Centre, Brandon, MB

Type of Show: Trade

Established: 1993

Objectives: A trade show for the pedigreed seed industry.

Attractions: Seminars and continuing education for seed growers.

Attendance: 200 Exhibitors: 45

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$250.

Show Manager: Dawn Harris.

Show Producer: Manitoba Seed Growers Association, PO Box 70, St. Malo, MB R0A 1T0 Phone: (204)

347-5408. Fax: (204) 347-5086.

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CONGRESS 2000-Canada's International Horticultural Trade Show & Conference

Jan 9-11, 2001

Toronto Congress Centre, Toronto, ON

*CAEM Member

Tyoe of Show: Trade

Established: 1973

Objectives: A show to educate and preview products to all those involved in the horticultural industry.

Products Displayed: Nursery stock, lawn and garden products, landscaping equipment and garden centre items.

Attractions: High-technology corner, landscaping certification demonstration area, and a safety corner.

Attendance: 10,000 Exhibitors: 675

Net Space: 110,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$12.50/sq.ft.

Show Manager: Paul J. Day.

Show Producer: Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades Association, 7856 Fifth Line S., R.R. #4, Stn. Main,

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mail: landscapeontario@hort-trades.com http://www.hort-trades.com.

Official Service Contractor(s): Special Event Rentals

Official Sponsor(s): Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades Association.

Exposition Commerciale de l'Horticulture Ornementale du Québec

Nov 13-17, 2000

Hôtel Gouverneur St. Hyacinthe, Centre des Congrès et d'Exposition, St-Hyacinthe, QC

Type of Show: Trade

Objectives: A show which allows the horticultural industry the opportunity to present and view new

products, plants and technologies.

Attractions: Exhibitors from outside of Québec, seminars.

Attendance: 5,000 Exhibitors: 250

Net Space: 40,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$10.80/sq.ft.

Show Manager: Aline Munger.

Show Producer: Fédération Interdisciplinaire de Horticulture Ornementale du Québec, Envirotrom Universitaire

Laval, Ste-Foy, QC G1K 7P4 Phone: (418) 659-3562. Fax: (418) 651-7439.

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Hamilton's Annual Chrysanthemum Show & Mum Trade Show

Nov 4-19, 2000

Gage Park Greenhouse Complex, Hamilton, ON

Type of Show: Trade & Consumer

Established: 1995

Objectives: The trade show is a component of the Chrysanthemum Show. It features horticultural and

theme-related exhibitors, crafters, local organizations and charities, and other area businesses.

Products Displayed: Plants, crafts, flower seeds, garden tools, garden sculpture, Christmas decorations, mums and

promotional materials.

Attractions: Imaginative scenes highlighting the beauty and versatility of mums. Each show is

designed to a theme.

Attendance: 15,000 Exhibitors: 50

Net Space: 3,200 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 8' x 8' \$400.

Show Manager: Jim Pook.

Show Producer: Corporation of the City of Hamilton, 7 Main St. W., 4th Fl., Hamilton, ON L8S 1A8 Phone:

(905) 546-3178. Fax: (905) 546-4193 1-800-263-8590 E-mail: sagepark@interlynx.net

http://www.city.hamilton.on.ca/cclerks/unmpage.htm.

Official Sponsor(s): City of Hamilton.

Future Dates: 2001 Nov 3-18–Hamilon, ON, Gage Park Greenhouse Complex.

The Landscaping Show

Mar 2-11, 2001

Olympic Stadium, Montréal, QC

*CAEM Member

Type of Show: Trade & Consumer

Established: 1990

Objectives: A show geared to home owners and the general public.

Products Displayed: Horticulture, gardening, patios, pools, environment, furniture and decorative outdoor products.

Attractions: Landscaping architecture.

Attendance: 300,000 Exhibitors: 1,200

Net Space: 187,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$19/sq.ft.

Show Manager: Ginette Grise.

Show Producer: Promexpo Inc., 801 Sherbrooke St. E., 10th Floor, Montréal, QC H2L 1K7 Phone: (514)

524-1157. Fax: (514) 527-8449.

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Landscape Ontario Annual Congress

Jan 9-11, 2001

Toronto Congress Centre, Toronto, ON

*MPI Member

Type of Show: Trade Established: 1969

Objectives: A trade show for the landscape and nursery industry.

Products Displayed: Ground maintenance equipment, fertilizers, landscape products, chemicals, nursery stock,

garden centre merchandise, lawn and garden equipment and tools.

Attractions: Garden display area, landscape awards winners, equipment demo area, high technology corner,

certification area, safety corner, and seminars.

Attendance: 9,000 Exhibitors: 648

Net Space: 95,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 10' x 10' \$12.50/sq.ft. (Non-members); \$11/sq.ft. (Members).

Show Manager: Paul J. Day.

Show Producer: Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades Association, 7856 Fifth Line S., R.R. #4, Stn. Main,

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mail: landscapeontario@hort-trades.com http://www.hort-trades.com.

Official Service Contractor(s): Special Event Rentals

Official Sponsor(s): Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades Assoc.

Future Dates: 2001 Jan 9-11–Toronto, ON, Toronto Congress Centre.

Prairie East Horticultural Trade Show

Nov. 2000

Winnipeg, MB

Type of Show: Trade Established: 1993

Objectives: To provide a show for landscape, architect designers, and tree growers.

Products Displayed: Trees, irrigation systems, shrubs.

Attractions: Seminars, conference.

Attendance: 200 Exhibitors: 450

Rates: Min. booth 8' x 10' \$450.

Show Manager: Carmen Neufeld.

Show Producer: Front Line Associates, 100 DeBourmont Bay, Winnipeg, MB R2J 1K3 Phone: (204) 254-

2293.

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Prairie West Horticultural Trade Show

Nov 9-12, 2000

Mayfield Inn & Suites Conference Centre, Edmonton, AB

Type of Show: Trade

Objectives: A show for the horticultural industry.

Products Displayed: Garden centres, landscape contractors, greenhouse and nursery trades.

Attractions: Seminars, workshops.

Attendance: 15,000 Exhibitors: 150

Net Space: 48,000 sq.ft.

Rates: Min. booth 8' x 10' \$640.

Show Manager: Nigel Bowles.

Show Producer: Landscape Alberta & Alberta Horticultural Congress, 10215-176 St., Edmonton, AB T5S

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